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## CLAIMS AMENDMENTS:

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## 1-15 cancelled

- (currently amended) A suction body component for long-term storage of body liquids in absorbing, skin-friendly, single-use products, the suction body component comprising:
  - a carrier material;
  - a particulate, super-absorbing polymer material, said particulate polymer material comprising a plurality of superabsorbing polymer particles; [[and]]
  - a coating deposited on individual outer surfaces of individual said super-absorbing polymer particles to coat said outer surfaces of said individual polymer particles for reducing a respective individual absorption rate thereof, said coating having a cellulose material selected from the group consisting of natural cellulose, synthetic cellulose, lignocellulose, cellulose derivatives, methyl cellulose, carboxy methyl cellulose, ethyl cellulose, hydroxy propyl cellulose, and cellulose acetate[[,]]; and
  - said coating also having a firstone or more skin care product products, wherein at least 50% of said skin care products are disposed within said super-absorbing polymer particles and a rest percentage of said skin care products is disposed in said coating, said rest percentage of said skin care products in said coating comprising a plant component, a plant extract, plant oil, or plant distillate.

## 17. (cancelled)

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- 18. (currently amended) The suction body component of claim 17claim 16, wherein-said polymer material contains at least 50% or at least 65% of said-second or said first skin care product products are disposed within said super-absorbing polymer particles.
- 19. (currently amended) The suction body component of claim 16, wherein said first-skin care productproducts [[is]] are water-soluble.
- 20. (currently amended) The suction body component of claim 16, wherein said first skin care product products comprises comprise a vitamin.
- 21. (cancelled)
- 22. (currently amended) The suction body component of claim 16, wherein said first-skin care products comprises comprise an organic acid.
- 23. (currently amended) The suction body component of claim 16, wherein said first skin care productproducts comprises on amino acid.
- 24. (previously presented) The suction body component of claim 16, wherein said carrier material comprises cellulose fibers, synthetic fibers, a foamed material, a porous matrix, and/or a thermoplastic synthetic matrix.
- 25. (previously presented) The suction body component of claim 16, wherein said carrier material forms a matrix and said particulate

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super-absorbing polymer particles are homogeneously bound in said carrier material or in sections thereof.

- 26. (previously presented) The suction body component of claim 16, wherein said super-absorbing polymer particles are disposed over a large surface area of said carrier material to form a layer.
- 27. (previously presented) An absorbing single-use product comprising the suction body component of claim 16, wherein the product comprises a top sheet facing a users body and a back sheet facing away from the user's body, said top and said back sheets surrounding and sandwiching the suction body component.
- 28. (previously presented) An absorbing single-use product comprising the suction body component of claim 16, wherein at least one further liquid-permeable layer is disposed above the suction body component at a user's body side.
- 29. (previously presented) Use of the suction body component of claim 16, for disposing skin care products onto human skin.
- 30. (previously presented) Use of the suction body component of claim 16, for producing a product to improve health of human skin.